## **Public Notice – Environmental Permit**

<u>PURPOSE OF NOTICE:</u> To seek public comment on the proposal to utilize an alternate groundwater point of compliance (APC) at the below-described solid waste landfill with a permit issued from the Department of Environmental Quality.

PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD: May 7, 2013 to June 6, 2013

PERMIT NAME: US Navy Naval Air Station- Oceana, D Avenue Landfill (Permit No. 278)

<u>FACILITY NAME AND LOCATION:</u> US Navy Naval Air Station- Oceana, D Avenue Landfill South of the intersection of D Avenue and 8<sup>th</sup> Street within Naval Air Station Oceana, Virginia Beach, VA 23460.

<u>VARIANCE DESCRIPTION</u>: The landfill has requested a Variance to locate two of its groundwater monitoring wells somewhere other than at the edge of the landfill waste mass as is normally required by the Commonwealth's solid waste regulations. The applicant has demonstrated that moving the location of the monitoring wells further from the edge of the waste mass will not result in an unreasonable risk to public health or the environment and will result in facility design that is equally protective of human health and the environment. If approved, this Variance will allow the facility to locate MW11 and MW13 404 and 226 feet, respectively, downgradient from the edge of the waste mass, but the wells will remain located on landfill property.

<u>HOW TO COMMENT:</u> DEQ accepts comments on this proposed decision by e-mail, fax or postal mail. All comments must include the name, address and telephone number of the person commenting and be received by DEQ within the 30-day comment period. The public may review all related Variance petition documents at the DEQ Regional office named below.

<u>CONTACT FOR PUBLIC COMMENTS, DOCUMENT REQUESTS, AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION:</u> Rachel Patton; Groundwater Remediation Specialist, Tidewater Regional Office, 5636 Southern Boulevard, Virginia Beach, VA, 23462; Phone: (757)-518-2145; E-mail: rachel.patton@deq.virginia.gov; Fax: 757-518-2009.